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Negro on Jury First Time in County History

H. L. Kinsler, president of the Security Loan and Investment company, 918 East Twenty-first street, claims the distinction of being the first Negro ever to serve on a Jackson county jury. His jury service ended yesterday.

His name was drawn in the ordinary course along with 260 others for a week of service. Kinsler was selected for actual duty on two panels.

In one of these, a damage suit against the Kansas City Railways company, a verdict of $500 for the plaintiff was awarded. In the second the case was taken from the jury and decided by the court after the taking of testimony had started.

THOMAS McDONALD SERVING THIRD TERM ON U. S. JURY.

Birmingham Reporter 5-17-24

Montgomery, Ala., May 14.—Thomas McDonald, aged 43 years, is serving his third term in the United States District court as juror. He was selected recently by Judge Henry Clayton for jury service.

McDonald has been an employe of the L. & N. Railroad Company for 30 years, and is at present employed in the offices of the legal department of the company.

SOUTHERN RACE MAN WINS $6,250 VERDICT IN SUIT

Savannah Tribune 7-31-24

Columbus, Ga., July 30 (Preston News Service)—In the $25,000 damage suit brought against the Central of Georgia and the Columbus Electric company by James Wheatt, who claims this sum for injuries growing out of an accident, a jury has just returned a verdict for $6,250 in favor of Wheatt.

Kent County Jurors White

Chestertown, Md., Sept. 25.—All of the jurors for the October term of court, drawn by Judge Wickes last week, are white. Many of the cases to be tried are colored.

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